

Chairman Lowell Johnson called the regularly scheduled meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Landis and Vap present.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Notice was duly published June 2, 2006 on Page 5 of The Daily Record that the regular public meeting of the Commissioners of the Nebraska Public Service Commission would be held June 6, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

Attention was called to the following proceedings:

Tuesday, June 6, 2006:

NUSF-4 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln.
1:30 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking to determine the level of the fund necessary to carry out the Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund Act beginning July 1, 2006. Commissioner Rod Johnson presiding as Hearing Officer.

Wednesday, June 7, 2006:

P-0011 Sarpy County Courthouse, Board Room, 1210 Golden Gate
10:00 Drive, Papillion. In the Matter of Aquila, Inc., Omaha, seeking resolution of a dispute under Neb. Rev. Stat. §57-1306. Commissioner Boyle presiding as Hearing Officer.

Thursday, June 8, 2006:

B-1685 Commission Library, Lincoln and Nebraska State Office
9:30 Building, Room 207, 2nd Floor, 1313 Farnam Street, Omaha. In the Matter of James E. & Rhonda Joneson, d/b/a Leisure Limousine and Sedan Service, Lincoln, seeking to acquire, through transfer, the authority held by A & R Klassic Kars Limousine Service, LLC in Certificate B-1599. Commissioner Landis presiding as Hearing Officer.

FC-1323 Commission Library, Lincoln and Nebraska State Office
1:30 Building, Room 207, 2nd Floor, 1313 Farnam Street, Omaha. In the Matter of Judith E. Timms vs. S & B Enterprises, d/b/a Apartment Movers of Omaha. Commissioner Boyle presiding as Hearing Officer.

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

Cheryl Elton informed the Commission of the complaints received in the preceding month.

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

C-2868/ In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
NUSF-35/ to require all local exchange carriers to provide Lifeline
PI-69 and Link-up services: Motion made by Commissioner Anne
Boyle, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to close the
communications portion of the docket. Motion passed with Commis-
sioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and
Jerry Vap voting AYE.

C-3535/ In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
PI-111 to establish procedures for the treatment of commercial
agreements not subject to the filing requirements of § 252
of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Commissioner Frank Landis
presiding as Hearing Officer: Motion made by Commissioner Frank
Landis, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to enter a progression
order. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson,
Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

John Burvainis reported that there were no automatic
dialing-announcing device complaints.

UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND

NUSF-32.05 In the Matter of Jeffrey L. Pursley, Director, Nebraska
Universal Service Fund, Complainant, vs. Cricket Communi-
cations, Incorporated, San Diego, California, Respondent: Motion made
by Commissioner Anne Boyle, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to
enter an order dismissing the complaint. Motion passed with Commis-
sioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and
Jerry Vap voting AYE. The hearing previously scheduled for June 20,
2006, was cancelled.

NUSF-37.89 In the Matter of Jeffrey L. Pursley, Director, Nebraska
Universal Service Fund, Complainant, v. TON Services,
Incorporated, Ogden, Utah, Respondent: Motion made by Commissioner
Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to enter an order
dismissing the complaint. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne
Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and Jerry Vap voting
AYE.

NUSF-35/ In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
C-2868/ to determine Nebraska Eligible Telecommunications Carrier
PI-69 status for the purposes of receiving state universal
service support for providing Lifeline/Link-up services and
Telehealth services to rural hospitals; and, In the Matter of the
Commission, on its own motion, seeking to require all local exchange
carriers to provide Lifeline and Link-up services: Jeff Pursley
informed the Commission that the Communications' Department is closing
that portion of this docket today under the Communications' agenda,
leaving the NUSF portion open.

UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND (Cont.)

Jeff Pursley reported on Late-Filed Carrier Remittances: Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to open a complaint against Globalcom, Incorporated, Chicago, Illinois, for the late-filed March, 2006 worksheet and that the current Complaint NUSF-37.82 against Touch 1 Communications, Incorporated, Atmore, Alabama, be amended to include the late-filed 1st Quarter, 2006. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

E911 DEPARTMENT

911-017/ In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
PI-116 to establish interim policies for the administration of the
Enhanced Wireless 911 Fund pending implementation of LB
1222: Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to enter an order opening the docket. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and Jerry Vap voting AYE. Commissioner Vap was appointed Hearing Officer.

911-018/ In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
PI-117 to establish audit requirements related to the Enhanced
Wireless 911 Fund: Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to enter an order opening the docket. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and Jerry Vap voting AYE. Commissioner Boyle was appointed Hearing Officer.

NATURAL GAS DEPARTMENT

NG-0036 In the Matter of Kinder Morgan, Inc., Lakewood, Colorado, seeking approval of a general rate increase: Motion was made by Commissioner Frank Landis, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to enter a Notice of Assessment to cover related consulting fees. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and Jerry Vap voting AYE. Commissioner Jerry Vap was appointed Hearing Officer.

Laura Demman reported on the number and nature of natural gas consumer inquiries and complaints received during the previous month.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Commissioner Lowell Johnson invited public comment. There was none.

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

B-1672 In the Matter of James Leon Dickinson, d/b/a Your Own
Supp. 1 Limousine Service, Lincoln, seeking to extend the author-
 ity held by Todd Kober, d/b/a Your Own Limousine Service in
Certificate B-1360: A hearing was scheduled for June 28, 2006, at
9:30 a.m., in the Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln. Commissioner
Landis was appointed Hearing Officer.

Rate Division

BR-306 In the Matter of M & M Cole, Inc., d/b/a Elite Coaches,
 North Platte, seeking authority to amend its charter and
special-party bus rates for its use: Motion made by Commissioner
Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to enter an order
granting the application. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne
Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and Jerry Vap voting
AYE.

MR-930 In the Matter of Movers and Warehouse Division, Nebraska
 Motor Carriers Association, Lincoln, seeking authority to
establish a fuel surcharge in Nebraska Official Household Goods Tariff
7-F: The fuel surcharge was increased to 72 cents per mile.

GRAIN WAREHOUSE DEPARTMENT

 In the Matter of Schedule A Rates and Charges: Motion made
by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to
enter an Order approving the rates. Motion passed with Commissioners
Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis and Jerry Vap
voting AYE.

 In the Matter of Schedule E Rates and Charges: Motion made
by Commissioner Frank Landis, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to
enter an Order approving the rates. Motion passed with Commissioners
Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson and Frank Landis voting AYE,
and Commissioner Jerry Vap voting NAY.

 Commissioner Frank Landis stepped out prior to the
Commission taking up the General Administration agenda.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

 Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by
Commissioner Jerry Vap, to approve the following Commission invoices.
Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod
Johnson and Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Frank Landis
excused not voting.

Ted Burkey	\$ 1,907.50
Executive Travel	524.91

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Robert Bowman	\$ 553.79
Fred Massing	1,384.90
Kent Pribyl	923.56
Anne Boyle	480.60
Lowell Johnson	235.90
Rod Johnson	937.64

Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to approve the contract with GDS Associates for consulting services for the Kinder Morgan rate case, Docket NG-0036. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson and Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Frank Landis excused not voting.

The meeting adjourned at 10:35 a.m. with Commissioners Boyle, Lowell Johnson, Rod Johnson and Vap present and Commissioner Landis excused. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on June 13, 2006, at 10:00 a.m. with an agenda to be available in the office of the Executive Director at 10:00 a.m. on June 12, 2006.

Chairman

Executive Director